

LISTENING

1 Listen to Curro talking about the most incredible building he's ever seen. Choose the correct information



- a What is the most incredible building you've ever seen? **The Colosseum / Alhambra.**
- b Where is it? In **the South of Spain / Rome.**
- c When did you first see this building? **When I was eighteen / Two years ago.**
- d When was it built? **In the 13th or 14th century / Five years ago.**
- e Can you describe it? **The style is Moorish / It's a modern building.**
- f What is so incredible about it? The **location / interior design.**
- g How many times have you been there? **Only once / Four times.**

2 Listen to Curro again and complete the gaps

The most incredible building I've ever seen _____ the Alhambra. It's a beautiful _____ in _____ in the south of _____. **The first time I saw the Alhambra Palace** _____ **when** I was eighteen—I _____ to _____ my _____ who was studying in Granada.

I think it was built in the thirteenth or fourteenth century for the Moorish kings. Alhambra is an Arabic name—**it means** "_____", probably **because of** the color of the _____. It's an enormous building. I don't know who the architect was, **but the _____ is Moorish**, or Islamic. I love the _____ – water is very _____. You can hear water _____ wherever you _____. But it isn't only the building that's so great.

I think the location is the most incredible thing about it. It's _____ on a hill overlooking Granada with the Sierra Nevada _____ in the background. **I've been there _____ times**, and each time I think it is more beautiful.

In my opinion, it is **definitely** one of the seven wonders of the _____ world.